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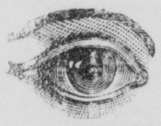

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STRIKE ON NEW LINE

Dixon Workmen Refuse to Work With Italian Laborers Brought Here From Chicago.

MORE ITALIANS COMING TONIGHT

Outside Workmen Produced on Account of Scarcity of Local Help.

The work on First street on the line of the electric road began with a strike this morning. Five Dixon men who began on the "turnout" Thursday struck because they were brought into contact with a gang of twenty Italians brought here last night from Chicago by the Columbia construction Co. When interviewed on the subject this morning Clemont C. Smith, president of the construction company said: "We have aimed from the first to give the preference to local people in every respect. We advertised for workmen last Wednesday to begin work but only six responded with two more in the afternoon. It appears that many of the men have gone to work on the gas plant for Mr. Higgins, which took from the regular force we had depended upon. Being forced to rush the work, Italians have been secured from Chicago. The local employes will not be required to work with the Italians, who will be kept by themselves.

The Italians slept last night at the gas plant in a temporary shed and by tonight better accommodations will be procured for them. Thirty more will arrive from Chicago tonight. They will do their own cooking.

OVERHEAD WORK BEGUN.

Yesterday the overhead work in the city was begun, guy wires being strung at the various turns and the boring for cross spans is now going on. An eyebolt is run through the wooden poles and the cross spans are attached to these from opposite poles. Two feet from the pole an insulator is placed and in the middle of the street, directly over the center of the track two insulators are strung two and one-half feet apart. In the center will be strung the two copper trolley wires. This is known as "figure 8" hard drawn copper wire and comes in lengths of one mile. Its electrical capacity is 162,500 circular miles and will furnish ample power to operate the large passenger cars of the system.

FINE CARS TO BE USED.

Very fine cars will be used on the line and four of them are now being constructed by the St. Louis Car Co. of St. Louis. They will be forty six feet long and at the express desire of Mr. Higgins nine feet wide over all, giving ample room in the seats. They will seat forty-eight passengers and will contain smoking compartment with side seats, toilet room, ice water reservoir, hot water heating apparatus, vestibule platforms, etc. The cars will be equipped with electric arc headlights, air brakes, air whistles, electric push buttons to stop the car, and four forty-five horse power motors, making a total energy per car of 180 horsepower. The motors have an over load capacity of double this amount, that is would exert double the energy in emergency. The wheels are geared to run as high as 45 miles an hour. Each coach is equipped with two trolleys, with Wilson trolley catchers, so that should the trolley slip the line it would be caught immediately.

WILL BEGIN LAYING STEEL WEST.

One week from next Monday the steel gangs will begin laying rails west from the milk factory to complete the line. The rails are now laid from Sterling to one mile east of Prairieville. Ties are now being hauled out along the right of way ready for the steel gang. Yesterday the spur 3,300 feet long into the gravel pit near Prairieville was finished and the locomotive to run the gravel train has been shipped from Dubuque. The gravel pit is a fine one and can be loaded onto the cars with little trouble and expense. It is twenty feet high and much of the loading will be done by gravity. Today the subsoil was stripped from the gravel to lay it bare.

The power house in Sterling is all ready to start up the moment power is needed, The boilers have been fired up and tested and the engines given a preliminary run.

PRIVATE TELEPHONE SYSTEM.

A private telephone system will be one of the features of the Sterling, Dixon & Eastern. Two wires will be strung along the line and there will be frequent boxes located along the line so that car conductors may communicate with headquarters at Dixon in case of trouble. The car dispatcher will carry on his work with the aid of the phones. The system will be fully equipped with lightning arresters and all apparatus will be the best obtainable.

EASTERN STAR EXCURSION.

Conductor John F. Cummins Takes Seventy-five Passengers.

The excursion to St. Louis given by the members of the Eastern Star last evening was an unqualified success. About seventy-five passengers journeyed to St. Louis on Conductor John F. Cumins' train and between whiles tipped the porter, Isadore Eichler. On entering the Masonic Temple the guests were given tickets at the ticket office and then passed through the railroad lunch room where hot coffee, "sinkers," pie, cake, etc., were temptingly displayed. They then boarded the excursion train and entered the drawing-room where fifteen tables were arranged. Each table bore the name of a station between Dixon and St. Louis and the guests being seated began a game of progressive euchre. When the destination was finally announced a count showed that Mrs. Smith of Morrison had secured the ladies' prize, but she generously donated it to the lodge. Atty. A. G. Harris won the gentlemen's prize. During the journey ten minutes for lunch was announced and the railroad eating-house was soon enjoying a lucrative trade. Several of the gentleman planned a holdup but their plans were discovered and foiled. The only disappointment in the affair was that Mrs. A. P. Armington, its promoter, was taken ill with rheumatism and was unable to be present.

WILL CLOSE OUT HIS STOCK.

Henry U. Bardwell Has Decided to Retire From Business.

Henry U. Bardwell has decided to retire from the farm implement business which he has been conducting for the past six years at No. 211 First street and on Monday will begin a closing out sale of his stock. Mr. Bardwell bought out the implement, buggy and harness stock of C. M. Huguet at the time he entered the business and he has been very successful, due to his handling the best grade of goods and employing honorable business methods. The stock on hand is not an accumulation of shop worn goods, but all is new, clean and up to date. It includes harness, blankets, horse goods, a complete line of buggies, surreys, driving wagons, etc., and all kinds of farm machinery. The sale will be continued by Mr. Bardwell until the entire line is disposed of.

Mr. Bardwell is energetic and pushing as well as ambitious and gives as his reason for selling out that he has no chance for advancement in the implement business and several good openings in other directions have been offered him.

Last Sermon Before Conference.

The Conference year of the Methodist church closes within the bounds of the Rock River Conference Oct. 6th. As the last Sabbath of the year, Oct. 4th, will be taken up by Dr. Koehne's lecture in the evening and sacramental service in the morning, tomorrow Dr. Craven will preach his last sermon before going to Conference. He most earnestly desires to see all members present. His subjects will be: Morning—"Finishing the Course." Evening—"The Preacher and Message for Men."

Frank Tolf Lost a Finger Joint.

While at work on the lift-cutter machine at the shoe factory this morning Frank Tolf suffered the loss of the first joint of the middle finger of the left hand. The injury was dressed by Dr. Bokhof.

Received Word of Father's Death.

Mrs. Josephine S. Emerson has just received notice of the death of her father, eighty years of age, at Walpole, NewHampshire.

—Mr. and Mrs. Lew E. Edwards drove home from Clinton, Iowa, last evening.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Fisher of Franklin Grove are here for an over-Sunday visit with City Attorney W. H. Winn and family.

—Warren Burright, an uncle of Thomas Burright of Dixon, died at his home in Toledo, Ohio, yesterday, aged 96 years. He was the oldest settler in Toledo, and leaves a brother in Oregon, Ill., Newton J. Burright, aged 89 years.

WED FOR FIFTY YEARS

Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Remmers Surprised on Golden Wedding Anniversary Last Evening.

ADDRESS BY REV. DORNBLASER

Presented by Frtends With Two Golden Candlesticks.

A company of twenty-five or thirty persons surprised Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Remmers, in their beautiful home, 161 North Galena avenue, Friday evening—being the fiftieth anniversaro of their married life. Mr. Remmers is 82 years of age, and his wife is 68. Both are in excellent health at the present time. Mr. Remmers came from Oldenburg, Germany, in 1848, went to California in 1849, where he was fortunate in securing a goodly share of gold-dust. Retiring to Germany in 1853, he was married to his present wife, and the same year they came to Dixon, which has ever since been their home. In the spring of 1854 they erected the hotel now known as the "Bishop," of which they were host and hostess for thirty-five years, until they retired from business some fourteen years ago.

By accident, some of the North side ladies found out that Friday was the fiftieth anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Remmers' wedded life; and late in the afternoon, Mrs. O. B. Blackman, and Mrs. E. L. Kling, sent word to a goodly number of old friends and neighbors, who assembled at the home of Dr. Blackman, and then proceeded in a body to the Remmers' residence across the street, completely surprising the aged couple. After a half hour spent in congratulations and social intercourse, the happy pair were led to the center of the large parlors, where the pastor, Rev. T. F. Dornblaser, addressed them, in substance, as follows:

"Dearly beloved, Mr. and Mrs. Remmers, we are gathered here, not for the purpose of performing a marriage ceremony, for we are persuaded that the sainted pastor of your youth did his work well, when you stood side by side, in the old parish church of the father-land, half a century ago. This hour must be crowned with interesting memories for you, who stand here beside the golden mile-stone of your wedded life, as happy, if not quite so youthful, as you were fifty years ago. You are tonight far away from the home of your childhood; but we are disposed to think that you are even more fortunate than if you had remained in your native land. Inspired by a noble ambition, you, as a young man, sailed away from the old moorings, to seek your fortune in this land of promise, then known as "The Wild and Woolly West." You landed in Dixon, the future metropolis of the middle West, in the year 1848. The California gold fever was then the universal epidemic, and with your ardent nature, you joined the adventurous "Forty-Niners," and in the early spring, started with an ox-caravan for the Pacific coast. In your journey of six long months you made some very narrow escapes on the trackless plains, infested by wild beasts and savage Indians. When you were lost from your companions for two days, in the desert waste, and completely exhausted, laid down to die, you supposed the story of your life would be suddenly terminated by a period; but it proved to be only an exclamation point, and a dash to mark the beginning of a more thrilling chapter that was to follow. Having reached Salt Lake, you rested your animals a few weeks, and went yourself into the harvest field, to earn some ready cash, and to lay in a fresh supply of provisions. After a few more months' of weary toil, you scaled the Rockies, and pitched your tent in the gold fields of California. With your characteristic energy, persistence and thrift, you struck your spade into the golden sand, and while washing and separating the shining nuggets, you did not forget the sweetheart you had left behind. An invisible cord drew you back to home and native land. No journey was too great to return for the one you promised to love and to cherish. If lover ever was true to his betrothed, then were you; and, if bride ever proved her love and confidence in her husband, then did the handsome bride that stands beside you tonight. As a blooming girl of eighteen, you bade adieu to home, and father and mother, whose faces you then saw for the last time, that you might unite your fortunes with those of your husband in this new land of the West. For fifty long years you have marked time together,

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ATTORNEYS AT LAW, Morrison-Shaw Building, Dixon, Illinois, and Monadnock Bldg., Chicago.

RAILROAD TIME TABLE

Chicago & Northwestern

EAST BOUND	WEST BOUND
No 8.....3.25 a. m. *	No. 1.....10.23 p. m†
No. 6.....4:40 a. m. *	No 7.....3.45 p. m*
No. 16.....6.15 a. m. *	No. 11.....8.48 p. m*
No. 2.....6.37 a. m *	No. 3. . .2.27 a. m†
No. 18.....7.19 a. m †	No. 17.....7.12 p. m*
No. 20.....10.22 a. m *	No. 13.....10.17 a. m*
No. 12. . .1.44 p. m *	No. 5.....12.25 p. m*
No. 14.....3.50 p. m †	No. 25.....8.54 p. m¶
No. 28.....5.15 p. m ¶	
No 4..... .7.13 p. m	

FREIGHT TRAINS CARRYING PASSENGERS

TRAINS GOING EAST	TRAINS GOING WEST
No. 134.....7.45 a. m †	¶ No. 131...11.15 a. m

*—Daily. †—Daily except Sunday
¶—Sunday only

TRAINS CARRYING MAIL—EAST BOUND

No 10—Atlantic Express, mail
No. 18—Sterling Passenger. mail
No. 20—Cedar Rapids Passenger, mail
No. —4 Colorado Special, mail

WEST BOUND

No. 25—Overland Flyer through mail
No. 5—Colorado Special, mail
No. 17—Sterling Passenger, mail.

Illinois Central Railroad

TRAINS GOING SOUTH	TRAINS GOING NORTH
Centralia P..3.35 a.m	Dubuque P..9.45 p.m
*Through...10.52 a. m	*Through..5.18 p. m.
Decatur.....4.06 p. m	Freeport....9.37 a, m
Freight..... 9.3 a m	Freight.....12.45 p.m
	*Daily

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To say smart things which may hurt other's feelings.

It is bad to make remarks about the food at dinner.

To talk about things which only interest yourself.

To grumble about your home and subjects to outsiders.

To speak disrespectfully to any one other than yourself.

To be rude to those who serve you either in shop or at home.

To dress shabbily in the morning because no one will see you.

To think first of your own pleasure when you are giving a party.

To refuse ungraciously when somebody wishes to do you a favor.

To behave in a street car or train as if no one else had a right to be there.—Chas.

Pessimistic.

At least half the work done in the world is of no particular use unless it may be for exercise.—Milwaukee Sentinel.

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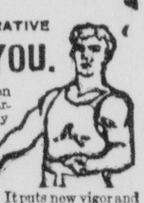

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By Special Request of Our Readers.

At the special request of one of our regular subscribers we have examined into the responsibility as far as possible of the Homestead Loan & Investment Company of Indianapolis, Ind.

We have been permitted to read letters from Bank, Business Men, and Private Individuals, and the answer of one and all to letters of inquiry seems to place this matter beyond a doubt, the following from The People's Deposit Bank of Indianapolis, Ind., speaks for itself:

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Sept. 15, 1903.

The Laborers Industrial Development Company, Dixon, Ill.

DEAR SIRS:—

In reply to your inquiry, will say that the company about which you ask is regularly incorporated under the laws of this state, reporting to the State Auditor. They have their bank account with us and maintain a good balance, we have reason to believe they are honest people of good intentions, as to their plan we cannot go into the merits of that.

Yours respectfully,
C. M. LEMON, Cashier.

THE PEOPLE'S DEPOSIT BANK,
Indianapolis, Ind.

DEAR SIR:—

Yours of the 7th received and duly noted, and in reply will say I have known the secretary of the Homestead Loan & Investment Association of Indianapolis for the past two years and I have found the Association to be all regularly and legally incorporated under the laws of Indiana, for Building and Loan business, and also that they have complied with all their contracts to me and I can recommend them to you and I think you will find them all O. K.

My first installment on my loan was due August 15, 1903, they promptly sent me certificate of deposit. My stock is $3,000.00 and they sent me certificate for $60.00 for first installment as per contract, and I am preparing to build at once. I think it is the finest thing out for a poor man to get him a home. I don't think you will ever regret taking hold of it. I have given you my experience with them and I have found them prompt and up to time as they agreed.

Truly yours,
C. W. CHAMBERLAIN.

P. S. Any other information will be cheerfully given.

The above are only two of over forty letters on file at the office of E. T. Warn, we have seen those ourselves and believe that this company is worthy of perfect confidence, should any of our readers desire any further information it will be gladly furnished. Mr. Warn has the exclusive agency for Lee and Whiteside counties.

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The Methodist choir will meet for rehearsal this evening at 6:45 o'clock. All are urged to be on time.

—John Shoemaker went to Chicago this morning for a week's stay.

—William and Ernest Suggitt went to Chicago this morning for a four days' stay.

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LOWDEN AT CARBONDALE.

With Other Politicians Is Addressing Large Crowds There Today.

Carbondale, Ill., Sept. 24.—Political activity bids fair to reach the top notch here tonight and tomorrow. The crowd has reached 10,000 people from all parts of "Egypt." Frank O. Lowden and Benson Wood of Effingham arrived this forenoon. The Lowden campaign is now in full blast. The lawyer-capitalist speaks this afternoon at Thompson park. He addressed veterans at Freeport yesterday.

At Carbondale Colonel Lowden is the center of groups who enjoy good stories and clever jokes. This is the Lowden method of winning the state.

Some curiosity has existed as to whether Colonel Lowden would register from Ogle county or Chicago. But the colonel simply wrote his name on the register and gave no address. Col. Lowden was met here by F. T. Joiner, the Yates leader and a probable candidate for state treasurer. They had a short conference previous to the colonel's story-telling.

Attorney-General Hamlin arrived from St. Louis at 11:30. Charles S. Deneen will arrive here tonight. Senator Cullom and Lawrence Y. Sherman are also expected on the scene.

General Black made the forenoon address today at Camp Logan, as Thompson park is named during the reunion.

"The Eternal City."

A theatrical attraction in Chicago which no visitor to the Centennial celebration can afford to miss is the production of Hall Caine's splendid and popular drama, "The Eternal City," with Edward Morgan as star, at the Illinois Theatre—the Lake City's most beautiful playhouse. The novel from which the play was taken was the most widely read of its year, and the dramatic version has attracted even more attention than the book. None who has read the one will care to miss seeing the other.

Ancient, modern and mediaeval Rome—the city eternal—is the locale of the play. The one-time capital of the world passes before the eye in pictorial panorama as produced by Mr. Morgan and his associates. Yet the play is in no sense a picture book dramatized. In relief against this classic background passes one of the most ingenious and stirring romances which ever came from the vivid pen of the picturesque little Manx author.

"The Eternal City" is often spoken of as a companion play to Mr. Caine's other great drama, "The Christian." It now may be all the more appropriately thus alluded to, as Mr Morgan, the star, helped make the frame of the earlier play by his effective portrayal of the role of John Storm. He has no less vital a part in that of David Rossi in the play at the Illinois. Some consider that herein the young actor reaches his greatest height.

When "The Eternal City" was produced in the East last winter it attracted more attention than any other play of the season.

Music by Pietro Mascagni, composer of "Cavalleria Rusticana," is one of the features of "The Eternal City." This music is in keeping with the story and enhances the Roman atmosphere of the play.

Many historical places are represented in "The Eternal City," among them the Coliseum, the Castle St. Angelo, St. Peter's Cathedral and the Vatican gardens—the former in its ruins, the three in their present glory. As the painted canvas is said to be in keeping with the subjects, massive and handsome scenery may be expected. There are eight scenic settings and not one of them is small. The Vatican Gardens scene is an enlarged reproduction of the mosaic given to President Roosevelt by Pope Leo XIII, about a year before the late pontiff's death.

The play is splendidly cast. Supporting Mr. Morgan is Miss Sarah Truax as Donna Roma, Frederick De Belleville as Baron Bonelli, W. E. Nonney as Bruno Rosco and Frank C. Bangs as the Pope. The thirty other speaking parts have been given to competent keeping. In the first scene a well drilled throng of nearly a hundred supernumeries will add realism to the scenes attending the Papal procession which Rossi halts in order to present a petition from the people to the Pontiff.

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MRS. HENRIETTA SCHMITZ, 608 Cherry St.,
January 23, 1903. Evansville, Ind.

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"The action of a deer under full speed reminds me of nothing so much as a seashell sent ricochetting over the surface of smooth water. They don't gallop; they simply bound, and that is where they lose speed over level ground. But I have seen deer bound straight up the side of a mountain and go fully as fast as if on the level, and no living animal can catch them at the uphill game.

"Deer have tremendous vitality. I have never seen one drop instantly when shot. They will make a jump or two even when shot through the heart.

"Your true deer hunter will never shoot a deer running from him, as the bullet will invariably spoil the hams and hind quarters. Most of the western deer hunters can turn a deer when he is running full speed from him with a shrill whistle. The deer almost always will turn to see what that sound means, only for a fraction of a second, perhaps, but that is the hunter's opportunity, and Mr. Deer generally gets it in the neck about that time."—New York Press.

Effect of Music on Animals.

At the zoo the zebra, wild ass, deer and ostrich went into paroxysms of rage at the sound of the piccolo, although they had manifested various signs of pleasure over the violin and flute. The tiger was asleep and refused to be awakened by the fiddler and flutist. But when the man with the piccolo began to play the animal sprang furiously to its feet and rushed angrily up and down the cage, lashing its tail. So extreme was the beast's anguish that the piccolo man speedily gave place to the flutist. The difference in effect was at once apparent. The tiger stopped, listened, lay down and purred like a kitten in its enjoyment of the grateful sounds, and presently fell asleep in luxurious repose.—London Spectator.

Not to Be Baffled.

Mrs. Bangs—So that pretty widow is really married so soon again, eh?

Old Bangs—You bet!

Mrs. Bangs—But her late husband's will expressly stipulated that if she took a second husband her legacy was to revert to his most distant relative.

Old Bangs—That's where she was foxy. She hunted up the relative and married him.—Smart Set.

One of the duties of life is to make those with whom you associate happy, and in striving to do this you will also make yourself happy.—Maxwell's Talisman.

One of the most important things in the education of a boy is that he should learn to keep his lips together.—Boston Globe.

Travels Far to Wed.

Miss Catherine Colfelt, granddaughter of the late James McManes, whose fortune of $4,000,000 she will eventually inherit, has started on a semi-circuit of the globe to wed Lieutenant Earl Taylor in Yokohama, Japan, where he is now awaiting her, his station being with his company in Manila, says a Philadelphia special. Lieutenant Taylor is a son of Milton Taylor, a prominent banker and member of the Toledo (O.) board of public service. They met a few years ago at West Point and became engaged after a short acquaintance.

Teeth Stolen While Asleep.

A Beaver Falls (Pa.) dispatch says that a well dressed man who said his name was Robert Murphy and that he lived in New Brighton called on Justice James Piper of the former place and made complaint that while he was asleep, with his mouth open, on a lounge at his home some one entered the room, gently extracted his false teeth from his mouth and made away with them.

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Presbyterian Young People's Society Entertain Young People's Union.

A delightful degree of Christian unity has for years been manifest among the various evangetical churches of this city, which has been perhaps especially conspicuous between the Baptist and Presbyterian communicants whose church homes are located on opposite sides of the Court House Park. Nothing is more indicative of harmony or more conducive to future usefulness, than the interchange of social courtesies which took place Friday evening, when the young people of the Presbyterian church gave a reception in the Sunday School room to the Baptist young people. There were about a hundred present, members and friends of the two societies, every one of whom seemed to thoroughly enjoy the occasion. Sociability was the key-note of the evening's entertainment.

At about nine o'clock a short musical program was announced, which was greatly enjoyed and loudly applauded. Miss Sue Steel gave a vocal solo, "Daddy" by Behrend in a most pleasant manner. Miss Lorna Dement followed with a song by Metcalf entitled "Absent," given with fine effect. Then Miss Gladys Steel sang Chopins' "Song of the Night." She has a finely developed voice for so young a pupil. These solos were all accompanied on the piano by Prof. Stoddard.

This was followed by a geographical guessing game, which caused a general circulation of the company. Pictures and diagrams, numbering over a score, were pinned in different places all around the room. Each of these represented some city or country, and the object was to guess as many of them as possible. Miss Erma Chapman was the only person present whose guesser was in perfect working order.

Dr. Cryor then in a few pertinent remarks welcomed the young people of the Baptist society, presaging a happy outcome in the unity manifested among the young people of the two societies. These remarks were replied to by Rev. Spencer in a similar vein of humorous suggestion, which called forth auditable smiles from all parts of the room.

At the close of these impromptu remarks, the young ladies served their guests with a most delicious repast of fruit salad, sandwiches and coffee, and the social ended most pleasantly and appropriately with an adjournment to the auditorium. to listen to a brief pipe organ recital by Prof. Stoddard, at the close of which all united in singing that beautiful and expressive hymn, "Blessed Be the Tie That Binds."

Asks for a Receiver.

Sterling Gazette:—W. M. Dillon has filed a bill in the circuit court of Whiteside county to compel Mrs. Griswold, widow of the late J. Wold Griswold, to comply with the terms of a certain agreement made between Mr. Dillon and his partner Mr. Griswold, and asking for the appointment of a receiver for the Dillon-Griswold Wire company now operating in this city. The bill asks for the appointment of a receiver on the ground that the wire mill is not properly conducted; that Mr. Dillon was not allowed to vote at the last meeting of the stockholders. that Mr. Dillon has been refused the privilege of investigating the books of the company; that the concern is running at a loss, and that the present management is not capable of taking charge of the business. * * * *

Mr. Dillon is said to own nearly a hundred thousand dollars' worth of stock in the wire mill, and he takes the ground that the legal action he has just taken is justifiable in order that his rights may be protected.

Sunday School Institute Postponed.

The township Sunday school Institute has been postponed from Sunday Oct. 4 to Sunday Oct. 18 to avoid coming in conflict with the Koehne lectures. The program as printed and distributed will be followed to the last letter except the date.

Building New Sheds,

The Dixon Coal company is having a coal shed 14 x 50 feet in dimensions erected on land belonging to Geo. H. Squires in the Illinois Central yards. It is expected that the shed will hold 150 tons.

—Inspector H. D. Dement returned to Chicago today.

Ex-Gov. Oglesby's Last Speech

Beautiful Toast to King Corn Which Was Not Reported

The following most beautiful address may be considered Ex-Governor Richard Oglesby's last speech. It was an impromptu speech made at the Fellowship Club at Chicago, Sept. 9, 1894, on the occasion of the Harvest Home Festival, which was not reported. The speech here given was written from memory four years later by Volney W. Foster of Chicago, a member of the club.

Ex-Gov. Oglesby sat at the speakers' table at the south end of the room and had been in earnest conversation with Mr. Conan Doyle up to the moment of the call of his name. The Toast Master was Mr. Franklin H. Head, and the toast that he gave to each speaker was "What I Know About Farming." The Governor arose slowly and was seemingly waiting for an inspiration. He looked deliberately upon the harvest decorations of the room and finally his eyes seemed to rest upon the magnificent stacks of corn that adorned the walls. He then slowly and impressively said: The corn, the corn, the corn, that in its first beginning and its growth has furnished aptest illustration of the tragic announcement of the chiefest hope of man. If he die he shall surely live again. Planted in the friendly but somber bosom of the mother earth it dies. Yea, it dies the second death, surrendering up each trace of form and earthly shape until the outward tide is stopped by the re-acting vital germ which breaking all the bonds and cerements of its sad decline comes bounding, laughing into life and light the fittest of all the symbols that make certain promise of the fate of man. And so it died and then it lived again. And so my people died. By some unknown, uncertain and unfriendly fate, I found myself making my first journey into life from conditions as lowly as those surrounding that awakening, dying, living infant germ. It was in those days when I, a simple boy, had wandered from Indiana to Springfield, that I there met the father of this good man (Joseph Jefferson) whose kind and gentle words to me were as water to a thirsty soul, as the shadow of a rock to a weary man. I loved his father then, I love the son now. Two full generations have been taught by his gentleness and smiles, and tears have quickly answered to the command of his artistic mind. Long may he live to make us laugh and cry, and cry and laugh by turns as he may choose to move us.

But now again my mind turns to the glorious corn, see it! Look on its ripening waving field. See how it wears a crown, prouder than Monarch ever wore, sometimes jauntily and sometimes after the storm the dignified survivors of the tempest seem to view a field of slaughter and to pity a fallen foe. And see the pendant caskets of the corn field filled with the wine of life and see the silken fringes that set a form for fashion and for art. And now the evening comes and something of a time to rest and listen. The scudding clouds conceal the half and then reveal the whole of the moonlit beauty of the night, and then the gentle winds make heavenly harmonies on a thousand thousand harps that hang upon the borders and the edges and the middle of the field of ripening corn until my very heart seems to beat responsive to the rising and the falling of the long melodious refrain. The melancholy clouds sometimes make shadows on the field and hide its aureate wealth and now they move and slowly into sight there comes the golden glow of promise for an industrious land. Glorious corn, that more than all the sisters of the field wears tropic garments. Nor on the shore of Nilus or of Ind does nature dress her forms more splendidly. My God, to live again that time when for me half the world was good and the other half unknown! And now again, the corn, that in its kernel holds the strength that shall (in the body of the man refreshed) subdue the forest and compel response from every stubborn field, or, shining in the eye of beauty make blossoms of her cheeks and jewels of her lips and thus make for man the greatest inspiration to well doing, the hope of companionship of that sacred, warm and well embodied soul, a woman.

Aye, the corn, the Royal corn, within whose yellow heart there is of health and strength for all the nations. The corn triumphant, that with the aid of man hath made victorious procession across the tufted plain and laid foundation for the social excellence that is and is to be. This glorious plant transmuted by the alchemy of God sustains the warrior in battle, the poet in song and strengthens everywhere the thousand arms that work the purposes of life. Oh that I had the voice of song or skill to translate into tones the harmonies, the symphonies and oratorios that roll across my soul, when standing sometimes by day and sometimes by night upon the borders of this verdant sea, I note a world of promise, and then before one-half the year is gone I view its full fruition and see its heaped gold await the need of man. Majestic, fruitful, wondorous plant. Thou greatest among the manifestations of the wisdom and love of God that may be seen in all the fields or upon the hillsides or in the valleys.

DELIGHTED WITH THE SOUTH

Christian Wuel Returns from Investigation of Prospects in Louisiana.

Christian Wuehl, who went South with E. A. Tayman's party September 15th, arrived home Friday. This morning he called at the TELEGRAPH office with an armful of the southern harvest in grain and fruit. We spent most of his time in Plaqumine parish, Louisiana, and is delighted with the country.

This parish is 36 miles south-east of New Orleans and Mr. Wuehl said he was among the most hospitable people he ever met. He has been investigating the country with a view of locating there. In regard to products, he says rice and sugar cane are the chief crops, but they raise oats in the winter after the summer crop is out of the way. Sweet and field corn is plenty and roasting ears can be had ten months in the year.

In the line of fruit, they raise oranges, grape fruit, lemons, bananas figs, peaches, pears, plums, persimmons, pomegranates, etc.

Mr. Wuehl is a truck farmer and the vegetables especially interested him. He found most every kind of vegetables in abundance, including tomatoes, egg plants, cabbage, beans, peas, lettuce, onions, etc. Truck gardening is new to the country and has proved a a gold mine to those who have gone into it. The first farm was started three years ago by John Manningo, a German who went down from Chicago. He rented five acres, only three of which he cultivated, and in two years he had cleared $1,500 above expenses.

Poultry of all kinds is raised there and sells at 22 cents live weight. It is also a fine country for the dairy business and milk will sell for 20 cents a gallon on the place. It retails for 10 cents a quart in New Orleans. Fish and oysters are plentiful and wild ducks and geese abundant in the winter.

Mr. Wuehl considers the opportunities for the poor man, as well as the capitalist, unequaled. Property owners will rent the farms for cash or on shares and will furnish tools and mules if needed. Land is increasing in value with the advent of northern people. As for healthfulness, Mr. Wuehl said he was in Wyoming and South Dakota this summer and he never saw more healthy people anywhere than he did in the part of Louisiana from which he has just returned. He advises doctors to seek other locations, as the only doctor in that vicinity is running a store for a living.

ROBBERY IN FREEPORT.

Senator Aspinwall's Home Entered Thursday Night.

Freeport Journal: Some time Thursday night burglars entered the residence of Senator H. F. Aspinwall, in Upper Stephenson street, and robbed the senator of $13 and some small change, and went through the pockets of Mr. Lee, of Nebraska, who is the senator's guest, and took therefrom a roll of bills amounting to $60 or $70.

There is positively no clew to the robbery. The money taken from Mr. Aspinwall was lying on a dresser and Mr. Lee had his money in his trousers' pocket. The men were not disturbed and did not discover their loss until Friday morning.

Not a lock or a window looked as though it had been tampered with and Chief Sweeney is at a loss to know how the burglar or burglars gained admittance to the house.

Died of Grief.

John Gatons, who was on trial for murder at Joliet, died Thursday afternoon in the hospital.

He shot his son on the 21st of last July while in a fit of uncontrollable passion. He told his daughter of the act and then went to the Joliet officials and gave himself up. He had to have medical attendance when he reached the jail and gradually pined away till he was taken to the hospital where he died yesterday.

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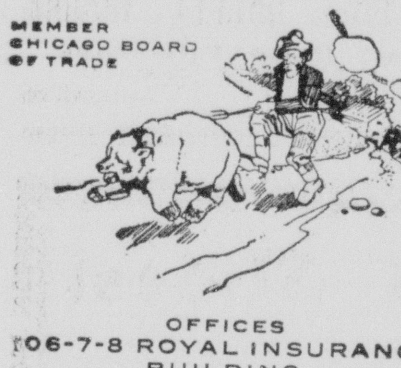

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Until recently your physician would have said the only way to cure catarrh would be to have a change of climate: but now with Hyomei you can carry a healthgiving climate in your vest pocket and by breathing it a few minutes four time a day soon cure yourself.

The complete Hyomei outfit costs but $1.00 and consists of an inhaler that can be carried in the vest pocket, a medicine dropper and a bottle of Hyomei. The inhaler lasts a lifetime, and if one bottle does not cure, an extra bottle of Hyomei can be obtained for 50 cents. It is the most economical of all remedies advertised for the cure of catarrh, and is the only one that follows nature in her method of treating diseases of the respiratory organs.

Rowland Bros, have sold a great many Hyomei outfits and the more they sell, the more convinced they are that they are perfectly safe in guaranteeing to refund the money if Hyomei does not cure.

STRONGEST EVIDENCE OF FAITH

Rowland Bros. Guaranteee That Hyomei Will Cure the Worst Case of Catarrh in Dixon.

When one of the most reputable concerns in Dixon guarantees that a medicine will affect a cure or they will refund the money, it speaks volumes as to the merits of that remedy. It is in this way that Rowland Bros. are selling Hyomei, the treatment that has made so many remarkable cures of both acute and chronic catarrh in Dixon and vicinity.

Hyomei is not a pill nor is it a liqiud that has to be taken with a tablespoon or wineglass. Just breathe it by the aid of an inhaler that comes in every outfit and benefit will be seen from the first treatment.

It destroys all germ life in the air passages and lungs and enriches and purifies the blood with additional ozone. It cures catarrh of the head and throat, or of the stomach, liver and kidneys. Wherever mucous membrane contains catarrhal germs, there Hyomei will do its work. When using this treatment, the air you breathe will be found like that on the mountains high above the sea level, where grow balsamic plants which make the air pure by giving off volatile antiseptic fragrance that is healthy to the respiratory organs.

A complete Hyomei outfit costs but $1.00 and includes an inhaler, dropper and sufficient Hyomei for several weeks treatment.

Remember that if Hyomei does not cure you, Rowland Bros. will refund your money. This is a good time to cure catarrh by this natural method and prevent catarrhal colds that are so common at this season.

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Do not try to cure catarrh by taking drugs into the stomach; it cannot be cured in that manner. The only way in which this too common disease can be cured is through a direct application that will kill the bacilli of catarrh and prevent their growth.

Hyomei is the only known method of treatment that accomplishes this It is the simplest, most pleasant and the only absolute cure far catarrh that has ever been discovered.

Thousands of unsolicited testimonials have been received from the most prominent men and women in the country who have been cured by this remarkable remedy. Ministers bankers, lawyers, even eminent physicians have given strong testimonials as to the remarkable powers of Hyomei to cure catarrh.

The complete Hyomei outfit costs but $1.00, consisting of an inhaler, dropper and sufficient Hyomei to last several weeks. This will effect a cure in ordinary cases, but for chronic and deep seated cases of catarrh, longer use may be necessary, and then extra bottles of Hyomei can be obtained for 50c. It is not alone the best (it might be called the only) method of curing catarrh, but it is also the most economical.

Rowland Bros. have so much confidence in the power of Hyomei to cure catarrh, they will for a limited time, sell this medicine under their personal guarantee to refund the money if the purcasers can say that it did not help them.

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THE WEATHER

CHICAGO, Ill., SEPT. 26 9:50 a. m
The following are theweath er indications for Northern Illinois

Unsettled, with showers tonight and in south portion Sunday. Cooler Sunday and in north and west portions tonight.

For the week commencing Sept. 20, 1903

	Max.	Min	Precp
Sunday	78	51	.—
Monday	81	53	.—
Tuesday	81	54	.—
Wednesday	83	56	.—
Thursday	68	37	.—
Friday	—	—	.—
Saturday	—	—	.—

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TODAY'S GRAIN REPORT.

Furnished by the E. H. Prince Commission Co., U. S. Bank Building.

CHICAGO, Ill., Sept 26, 1903.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
Dec......	77½-⅝-	77⅝	76¾	77½-⅝ a
May.....	78¾-79	79	78¼	78⅞a
Corn—				
Dec.......	46¼-⅜	46⅜-⅞	46	46¼
May......	46½-⅝	46⅝	45⅞	46⅛a
Oats—				
Dec.......	37¼-½	37⅝	37⅛	37⅝
May. ...	38¼-38	38¼	37¾	38a

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Via the North-Western Line. Excursion tickets will be sold for one fare for the round trip, Sept. 25 to Oct. 3, inclusive, limited to return until Oct. 5, inclusive. Apply to Agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

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Church Announcement.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL.

Peoria Avenue and Second Street. Rev William Craven, D. D., Pastor. Class meeting 9:45 a.m. Preaching Services 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p.m, Sunday School at 12 m. Junior League at 3 p. m. Epworth League 6:15 p. m. Prayer Meeting, Wednesday evening, 7:30.

The subject of Rev. William Craven's sermon at the morning service will be "Finishing the Course."

The evening sermon will be especially adapted to the work of St. Paul's Brotherhood and the topic will be "The Preacher and Message for Men."

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN.

Rev. T. F. Dornblaser, D. D., Pastor of St. Paul's—corner of Second street and Hennepin avenue. Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. Owen Clymer, Superintendent. Morning service at 11 a. m, Subject of sermon: "The Blood of Spinkling." Junior Endeavor at 5 p. m. Senior Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. Evening service at 7:30, Subject: "The Unpardonable Sin." Miss Lorna Dement will sing at the morning service.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

First street, near Madison avenue. Rev. Finis Idleman, Pastor. Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p.m

11 a. m. Rev. J. G. Waggoner of Eureka will speak on "Christian Education"

7:30. Sermon by pastor. "Spiritual Patchwork."

THE PEOPLE'S CHURCH.

Universalist Society. Joseph F. Newton Pastor. Sunday School at 2 p. m. Preaching at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

Theme: "Our Knowledge of God."

PRESBYTERIAN.

Third street, between Galena and Ottawa. Rev. S. S. Cryor, D. D., Pastor. Preaching Services 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., by pastor. Sunday School at close of morning service; Eugene Raymond, Superintendent.

Morning topic. "Things That Abide."

Evening topic. "The Man of Gallilee—Via Crucis.

Endeavor at 6:30 p. m., Miss Lorna Dement leader,

EMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH.
[GERMAN.]

Corner Sixth street, and Highland avenue. Rev Henry F. Schmidt, Pastor. Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. Mr. C. Krug, Superintendent of Sunday School.

Sunday school at 10 p. m.

Evening service at 7:30 p. m,

No morning service.

BAPTIST CHURCH.

Second Street, between Galena and Ottawa Rev. W. C. Spencer, Pastor. Services 10:30 a, m. and 7:30, p. m. The pastor will conduct the services,

Morning theme: "Barnabas—A Study."

Evening theme: "Fictitious Destinctions in Evil."

UNITED EVANGELICAL.

Grace Evangelical church, Fellows and Ottawa, North Dixon. Rev. E. O. Rife, pastor. 10 a. m. Bible School. 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. preaching 6:45 p. m. K. L. C. E. Wednesday 7:30 Mid-Week Devotional and Teachers Meeting. Friday 4 p. m. Juniors.

Morrning subject: "Prevailing with God in prayer.

Evening subject: "A Father's Counsel."

ST. PATRICK'S.

Corner Seventh Street and Highland Avenue. Rev. Michael Foley, Pastor. Rev. John J. O'Meara, Assistant Pastor. Low Mass 8 a. m. High Mass 10:30 a. m. Sunday School at 2:30 p. m. Baptism 3:30 p. m. Vespers and Benediction at 7:30 p. m.

ST. LUKE'S EPISCOPAL.

Cor. Peoria avenue and Third street. Rev. J. M. Ericsson, Rector. Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. Holy Communion at 8 p. m. Morning prayer and sermon at 11 a. m. Evening sermon at 5 p. m.

Y. M. C. A.

Sunday afternoon, Sept. 27, at 3:30 Dr. Samuel W. Lehman will speak on on "The Value of Bible Study," at the men's meeting in the Y. M. C. A. rooms, Every man and stranger is invited to attend this characteristic meeting.

SUGAR GROVE CHURCH

Rev. T. F. Dornblaser, D. D., of the Dixon Lutheran church will preach at the Sugar Grove church in Palmyra at 3 o'clock.

GERMAN BAPTIST BRETHREN.

The German Baptist Brethren will hold services each Sunday morning in the Universalists' church on the corner of Hennepin avenue and Second street at 11 o'clock Sabbath school at 10 a. m. Everybody invited. Rev. C. M. Suter, minister in charge.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE.

First Church of Christ, Scientist. 205 First street. Sunday service at 10:45 a. m. Wednesday evening service at 8 p. m. Reading room open daily except Sunday from 2 to 5 p m.

MILLER'S HALL.

There will be services in Miller's hall Sunday at 10:30 a. m. and 2:30 p. m. conducted by S. J. Lindsay of Oregon, Ill. A cordial invitation to all.

WEST SIDE CONGREGATIONAL.

Corner Van Buren Avenue and Fourth street. J. G. Brooks, Pastor. Sabbath School at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. Leader, Mr. Curtis Plum.

The Elusive Lead Pencils.

What becomes of the lead pencils is as insolvable a problem as what becomes of pins. No one ever really uses up lead pencils; no one drinks them, so to speak, to the very dregs, unless it is one of those admirable people who keep journals and cash accounts and who usually carry a sort of penholder arrangement in which they insert a half length pencil and go on and on using it and sharpening it until it is all gone. Very few peopie ever get pencils worn down as far as a half length. They disappear before that stage is reached. What becomes of them all? Hundreds of thousands of them annually are lent to young children and never seen again, but what do the children do with them? Do they eat them up? Possibly.

Everybody has seen lead pencils the upper end of which have been chewed into a brush, but children do not possess such ostrich stomachs as would enable them to consume all the pencils that disappear.

CONCERNING LABOR AND HOME INDUSTRIES

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TYPOGRAPHICAL UNION LABEL DIXON, ILL.

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and bravely you have fought the battles of life side by side, until the present hour. We have come here to rejoice with you for the success you have achieved, and the many victories you have won. We most heartily congratulate you on your good fortune. Your friends in Dixon felt that this delightful occasion should not pass without being commemorated by some token, that would bear to you their good will and that would express, in beautiful symbol, their sincere wish that your remaining years on earth might be the brightest and happiest of all your life. So, "the path of the just, shineth brighter and brighter, until the perfect day;" to this end your friends have instructed me to present to you these two golden candlesticks, that hereafter each of you may have a lamp to your feet and a guide to your path. The golden candlestick in God's book is a symbol of the light of heaven let down to earth. May He who walks among the golden candlesticks be your constant light and joy, and when you enter the valley of the shadow, as we all must by and by, you will be able to say, with that singer of old, 'though I walk in the valley of the shadow, I will fear no evil, for thou art with me.' 'The Lord bless thee and keep thee; the Lord make His face to shine on thee, and be gracious unto thee; the Lord lift up His countenance upon thee, and give thee peace, 'to which we all say Amen."

A few minutes were then devoted to congratulations, after which elegant refreshments were served by the ladies. At an early hour the company dispersed, leaving the happy couple to meditate upon the memories awakened by this delightful occasion.

Brothers Meet After Years.

Scarf pins of peculiar design, given to two brothers twenty years ago by their father, served to reunite the brothers yesterday. When Victor E. Shaw of San Francisco registered at the Victoria hotel in Chicago, Clerk McHeury noticed the scarf pin he wore. When a second Mr. Shaw--G. H. P. Shaw of New Orleans--arrived at the hotel, he observed the same peculiar pin.

The two men appeared not to know each other, so Mr. McHenry arranged that they should dine at a small table directly opposite each other. They had not been at the table five minutes when almost simultaneously they noticed the pins and made known their identity.

The New Orleans Mr. Shaw was on his way to Kansas City to be married, and by finding his brother he also found that he was the heir to valuable property which was left him when his father died ten years ago.

Vite Calf Rond A Vay.

Decorah, Iowa, Republican:—This is the notice posted by Hans Bog, an honest Dutch farmer in the postoffice at Lagrange:

RОND A VAY.

Von Ret and Vite Calf mit its to behind legs was plack he was plack he was a she calf. Aney potty dot prings Dot Calf home pays me five tollars.

Hans
Three Mile Behind
de prige
Bear Creek.

Will Open Bridge Bids.

Supervisors John McCleary and W. C. Jones went to Amboy today to open bids for the construction of a steel bridge in the south part of the county.

Very Low Rates to San Francisco and Los Angeles, Cal.

Via the North-Western Line. Excursion tickets will be sold Oct, 8 to 17, inclusive, with very favorable return limits, on account of convention of American Bankers' Association. Apply to Agents Chicago North-Western R'y.

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WAR WAS IMMINENT

So President Buchanan Abruptly Adjourned the Convention of Iron Workers

WITHOUT EITHER DAY OR HOUR

Parks Men Hold a Session and Unseat a Delegate.

Labor Troubles on the Lake Settled, Strikers Winning—Millers at Minneapolis Decline to Arbitrate.

Kansas City, Sept. 26. — Samuel Parks, walking delegate from New York city, caused a split in the annual convention of the International Association of Bridge and Structural Iron Workers here in a fight to unseat Daniel Brophy, a delegate from union No. 2, of that city, but who held a proxy from Scranton, Pa. The charge was made by the Parks delegation that Brophy's credentials had been forged, and to prevent a free-for-all fight that seemed imminent President Buchanan adjourned the convention without hour and without waiting to put the question.

Parks Men Meet and Do Business.

When the usual time for the convening of the afternoon session had arrived President Buchanan failed to put in an appearance. He had, it developed later, purposely remained in his room at the Coates House. Although the convention had been adjourned by President Buchanan without hour Second Vice President Warden was placed in the chair by the Parks crowd and called the gathering to order. Immediately a vote was taken on a motion to reconsider the vote seating Delegate Brophy. Brophy was unseated—58 to 10.

Voted to Notify Buchanan.

After the delegates had voted to unseat Brophy the chairman was requested to notify President Buchanan of the proceedings, and to invite him to preside over the convention today. Vice President Warden then declared the session adjourned until 10 a. m. today.

What Brophy and Buchanan Say.

Delegate Brophy left the hall as soon as the vote to unseat him had been taken. "The action this afternoon," he said, "is unconstitutional. I still claim my seat and will re-enter the convention when President Buchanan assumes the chair again." When notified by a reporter that the delegates had reconvened with an adherent of Samuel Parks in the chair, President Buchanan said: "As far as I am concerned the convention is not in session, nor will it be until the delegates notify me that they are ready to meet. The convention stands adjourned without hour. I will not recognize any of the acts of the gathering now in session."

Brophy Threatened to Shoot.

The cause of the adjournment of the regular meeting was that when Brophy started to enter the hall a threatening move was made toward him by the Parks men. He put his hand to his hip and said he would shoot the first man who interfered. Soon after there was a wild uproar, threatening to turn into a riot and Buchanan declared adjournment. Parks announces his intention of making trouble when he goes back to New York. He says he will call a strike on many jobs and that he will get even with the men who he says sought to depose him.

MASTERS' AND PILOTS' WIN

And the Trouble on the Lakes Seems To Be Over for the Present.

Cleveland, O., Sept. 26.—The negotiations looking toward a settlement of the differences between the American Association of Masters and Pilots and the Pittsburg Steamship company has come to a successful conclusion. The Pittsburg Steamship company receded from its position relative to Captain Frank Rae, of the steamer Clemson, and his mates, who are not members of the association. The remaining grievances of the men were waived for the present time and arrangements made for the holding of a meeting after the close of the present season of navigation.

The agreement entered into by the Pittsburg Steamship company and the association is as follows: "First—Captain Frank Rae to be relieved from command of the steamer Clemson at once, and she be manned with members of the Masters' and Pilots' association. That in the event Captain Frank Rae will file an application for membership in the Masters' and Pilots' association within fifteen days from date the board of directors and the committee having in charge the negotiating of a settlement of this controversy pledge themselves to use their best efforts to have it favorably acted upon prior to the meeting of the Masters' and Pilots' and Lake Carriers' association to be held during the winter.

"Second—All members of the Masters' and Pilots' association to return at once to the same positions they occupied on the vessels on which they were employed immediately prior to this controversy, with no stoppage of pay during the time the vessels may have been stopped.

"Third—All vessels to be put into commission immediately and to make at least one round trip.

"Fourth—The discussion of all other grievances that exist to wait until the meeting arranged for between the Masters' and Pilots' and the Lake Carriers' association to take place this winter."

ARBITRATION IS DECLINED

Mill Owners at Minneapolis Say They Can Pay No Higher Wages.

Minneapolis, Minn., Sept. 26.—Mayor Haynes, in pursuance of his promise to the mill strikers to seek arbitration, sent a letter to the mill owners requesting their acquiescence in his appointment of an arbitration board of five members. The reply of the millers says:

"A request was made early in the week by a committee of employes to arbitrate this question. We declined to entertain this proposition. The question was fully canvassed at that time and our reply was distinct enough to be thoroughly understood. We have no hesitation in saying further that we prefer to shut down our mills if we cannot find men willing to work at the present scale of hours and wages.

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"We have in the past made concessions and sacrifices to our men, raised their wages, shortened their hours and at times run the mills at a loss to ourselves. We should be pleased to have a private conference with you at your office at any hour you name, if in your opinion it is necessary, but our decision is final."

WILL HAVE LAW AND ORDER

Colorado Adjutant General States the Policy of the State.

Cripple Creek, Colo., Sept. 26. — Adjutant General Bell has given out a statement outlining the future policy of the military in the Cripple Creek district. He declares that the troops will be kept in the field so long as in the opinion of the governor there is any possible need for them, and that "law and order will be strictly maintained to the very smallest fraction thereof." He concludes his statement as follows:

"In regard to the street whisperings and murmurings to the effect that other parts of the state are about to be involved in strikes I will say that if it is necessary to muster into the service under the law every available able-bodied man in the state (and I will be the judge of the able-bodiedness), and if it bankrupts for a few days the state of Colorado, there will be no strike disturbances or business cessations while James H. Peabody is governor, and while I am his military representative of the state of Colorado. My term of office does not expire until April 1, 1905."

DEMANDS OF COAL MINERS

What Operators of the Colorado District Are Up Against.

Pueblo, Colo., Sept. 26.—At the sessions of the United Mine Workers' convention the following demands were formulated and adopted by the convention. They will be presented to the coal operators in district 15, and should they not be acceded to a strike will in all probability be declared at the meeting of the national executive board, Oct. 5: Eight hours; all wages to be paid semi-monthly and in cash—no scrip; increase of 20 per cent. on contract and tonnage prices, 2,000 pounds to a ton; no decrease in wages where hours are decreased; more fresh air in mines.

During the session an address was made by President Moyer, of the Western Federation of Miners, in which he roundly scored Governor Peabody and General Sherman Bell. He characterized the former as the worst enemy the laboring man had in the state.

Shaffer Says He Doesn't Have To.

Pittsburg, Sept. 26.—The charge upon which a committee of the Amalgamated Association is trying President Shaffer is that he did not attend the sheet steel conference at Pittsburg a month ago. Shaffer says there is no clause in the constitution to compel him to attend any meeting but the annual convention; that he called the convention at the request of the vice presidents and it was the duty of the vice president in whose district the convention was held to preside. For him (Shaffer) to preside would have been discourteous.

Federation and Miller's Case.

Washington, Sept. 26.—The executive council of the Federation of Labor has adjourned subject to call without taking any further action on the case of William A. Miller, the assistant foreman in the government printing office. The matter has been left in the hands of a sub-committee of the executive council, whose names are not disclosed, with directions to make a full report.

Missourians for "Struck" Mines.

Wallace, Ida., Sept. 26.—A car containing seventy-one Coeur d'Alene miners has left here for Cripple Creek, Colo., to take the places of the striking miners there. Most of them are Missourians who were brought here during the labor troubles of 1899.

No Offer to Judge Grosscup.

St. Paul, Sept. 26.—The Globe says: "It was announced last night by a high official of the Northern Securities company that no tender of the position as counsel for the Northern Securities company had been made to United States Judge Grosscup, of Chicago, and that such a tender is not and has not been contemplated."

Yellow Fever in Texas.

Laredo, Tex., Sept. 26.—The yellow fever both in this city and Nuevo Laredo, Mex., is on the increase. Reports from Nuevo Laredo are to the effect that there have been five deaths and many new cases are reported.

IT'S IMPOSSIBLE

To Disprove Facts. It is decidedly easy to verify no Dixon opinion.

Nothing by the way of an introduction could be added to the experience and opinions given below, which could increase their value. No Dixon people can safely be left to draw their own conclusions based on such convincing proof as this citizen offers. What is there lacking in evidence like this to satisfy a dyed-in-the-wool doubting Thomas?

Mrs. A. Fine of 169 Chamberlain street North Dixon says: "When I went to Leake Bros. drug store for Doan's Kidney Pills I had very little expectation of the treatment doing me any good for I had suffered so long with kidney complaint and was suffering so severely at the time that I had almost given up hope of ever obtaining relief. I am averse to the use of property medicines but my husband had heard so much about Doan's Kidney Pills that he insisted upon me trying them. I did so and was promptly benefitted. If all suffers from kidney ailments could be induced to use Doan's Kidney Pills, kidney complaint in any of its various forms would disappear."

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"Several years since my lungs were so badly affected that I had many hemorrhages," writes A. M. Ake of Wood, Ind. "I took treatment with several physicians without any benefit I then started to take Foley's Honey and Tar and my lungs are now as sound as a bullet. I recommend it in advanced stages of lung trouble. Rowland Bros.

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FEET SWOLLEN TO IMMENSE SIZE.

"I had kidney trouble so bad," says J. J. Cox of Valley View, Ky., "that I could not work, my feet were swollen to immense size and I was confined to my bed and physicians were unable to give me any relief. My doctor finally prescribed Foley's Kidney Cure which made a well man of me." Rowland Bros.

M. T. Lynch, Editor of the Phillipburg N. J. Daily Post, writes: "I have used many kinds of medicines for coughs and colds in my family but never anything so good as Foley's Honey and Tar. I cannot say too much in praise of it." Rowland Bros.

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DEATH WAS AHEAD IF HE ERRED

Train Thugs Baffled if He Was Right, and His Decision Was Correct.

Woonsocket, R. I., Sept. 26.—Because the trained eye of Engineer George W. Boss recognized, in the awkward swing of a lantern, the work of a novice he pulled the throttle wide open and drove his train swiftly by a danger signal set dead against him, and frustrated what is believed to have been an attempt to hold up the boat train at Plummer's Ledge, a lonely spot a mile north of Whitin's Station on the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad. Four cars full of passengers, unconscious of peril met and avoided, were landed safely in Providence, and the engineer, who had assumed an awful responsibility, repaired to the office of Superintendent A. R. Whaley to report that he had matched his judgment against the ironclad orders of the road and won.

Ten Men in the Gang.

That there was a deliberate attempt by ten men to hold up the train there is little doubt, but little was known of the matter until Deputy Sheriff Bacon was called into the case by Superintendent Whaley, and fully armed took his place by the side of the engineer and accompanied the train from Worcester to Providence. He will ride on the engine again tonight, and meantime the police officials are scouring this section of the state in an effort to locate the gang described by the engineer.

Engineer Strikes a Problem.

The boat train drew out of Worcester at 6:10 p. m., and was due in Providence at 7:25. It had reached a point within an eighth of a mile of Plummer's Ledge, where Engineer Boss saw a green signal light, indicating a clear track. Suddenly the light changed to red and the engineer closed the throttle and set the air brakes. As he did so a lantern was swung across the track, but not in the easy manner acquired by experienced trainmen, and it flashed across the mind of Boss that the man who gave the signal was not stopping the train for any good purpose.

Solved It in Two Seconds.

For a second he hesitated, balancing in his mind the chances of wrecking his train if he went on and the probability of its passengers being robbed, and perhaps killed, if he brought it to a standstill. As far as he could see unobstructed track lay before him. Another second and his mind was made up, and he rushed the train past the danger signal. Leaning out of his cab Engineer Boss saw the man with the lantern jump from the track, two other men standing on the ladder holding the stationary light and tampering with the signal, while seven other men were lined up along the road bed.

Reports to the Superintendent.

Immediately on reaching Providence he reported the matter to Superintendent Whaley, who at once started an investigation of all the circumstances and later gave Deputy Sheriff Bacon charge of the case.

FOUL MURDER AND ROBBERY

Thugs in Pennsylvania Blow Two Men Up with Dynamite and Steal $5,000.

Washington, Pa., Sept. 26.—Dynamite was exploded under the buggy of Contractor Ferguson, of the Wabash railroad, near West Middleton. Ferguson was killed and his bookkeeper, Martin, badly hurt. Ferguson had with him the weekly pay for his men, amounting to about $3,600, in a satchel. The satchel is missing. Two men suspected of the outrage have been arrested and two other suspects are surrounded in an abandoned mine.

The dynamite was exploded by means of a small battery hidden in a clump of bushes by the roadside and connected with the dynamite by copper wire.

Charging Illegal Fees.

Milwaukee, Sept. 26.—State Factory Inspector August C. Backus is investigating complaints regarding the fees said to be charged by county judges for child labor permits. These permits according to Inspector Backus were intended by the legislature to be absolutely free and nothing is charged for them in this city. In some districts the county judges are asking from $1 to $1.50 for the permits.

Michigan Man Attempts Suicide.

Cleveland, Sept. 26.—A man giving the name of F. A. Jennings, Hillsdale, Mich., shot himself in the temple while in a room at the Imperial hotel in Seneca street. He was removed to a hospital and it is thought that he will die.

Those Games Will Be Played.

Boston, Sept. 26.—It is announced that the series of games between the Pittsburg Nationals and Boston American teams will be played, notwithstanding repeated denials.

Peace Conference at St. Louis.

Ronen, France, Sept. 26.—The Industrial Peace conference in session here has accepted an invitation to meet next year at St. Louis.

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Vice-Pres., Chicago Historical Club.

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Mr. A. Merton, of Canton, O., writes: "I am getting old and for some months past a feeling of decrepitude seemed to be taking entire possession of both my mind and body. Your agent advised me to try a bottle of VITONA and I write to say it is the greatest strengthener for old people I ever saw. It has improved me almost beyond belief. I am told it is the best selling remedy ever advertised, and I do not wonder at it in the least, as so many recommend it."

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Mrs. M. L. Adams, Fredonia, Ala., took Botanic Blood Balm which effectually cured an eating cancer of the nose and face. The sore healed up perfectly. Many doctors had given up her case as hopeless. Hundreds of cases of cancer, eating sores, suppurating swellings, etc., have been cured by Blood Balm. Among others, Mrs B. M. Guerney, Warrior Stand, Ala., Her nose and lip were raw as beef, with offensive discharge from the eating sore. Doctors advised cutting, but it failed. Blood Balm healed the sores, and Mrs. Guerney is as well as ever. Botanic Blood Balm also cures eczema itching humors, scabs and scales, bone pains, ulcers, offensive pimples, blood poison, carbuncle, scrufula, risings and bunps on the skin and all blood troubles. Improves the digestion, strethens weak kidneys. Druggists, $1 per large bottle, with complete directions for home cure. Sample free and prepaid by writing Blood Balm Co., Atlanta Ga. Describe trouble and special medical advice sent in sealed letter. For sale by C. C. Kelly, Druggist.

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To permit persnoal attendanceat said meeting there will be issued to each holder of one or more shares of the capital stock of the Illinois Central Railroad Company as registered on the books of the Company at the close of the business on Tuesday, September 29, 1903, **who is of full age**, a ticket enabling him or her, to travel free over the Company's lines from the station on the Illinois Central Railroad nearest to his or her registered address to Chicago and return, such ticket to be good for the journey to Chicago only during the four days preceding, and the day of the meeting, and for the return journey from Chicago only on the day of the meeting, and the four days immediately following when properly countersigned and stamped during business hours—that is say, between 9:00 A. M. and 5:00 P. M.—in the office of the Assistant Secretary, Mr. W. G. BRUEN, in Chicago. Such ticket may be obtained by any holder of stock registered as above on application, in writing, to the President of the Company in Chicago. Each application must state the **full name and address** of the stockholder exactly as given in his or her certificate of stock, together **with the number and date of such certificate**. No more than one person will be carried free in respect to any one holding of stock as registered on the books of the Company.

A. G. HACKSTAFF,
Secretary.

MAYOR HELD IN BONDS

He of Mattoon Charged with Divers and Numerous Sins in Office.

INDICTED IN SEVERAL COUNTS

State Fair Opens, and Will Be Open on Sunday—Carbondale Reunion Closes.

Mattoon, Ill., Sept. 26. — Mayor Francis M. Menke, of Mattoon, has been indicted by the grand jury upon twenty-nine counts charging him with malfeasance and misfeasance in office. He was placed under arrest and bond was fixed at $5,000. This was later reduced to $2,500 and Menke got bondsmen. His trial was set for next week. State's Attorney Voight is arranging to conduct a vigorous prosecution. One of the most serious charges against Menke is that he entered into a conspiracy with a local physician, issuing certificates weekly to women of Mattoon.

Doctor and Mayor Divides the Fees.

It is said that the physician divided the fees with the mayor. Mayor Menke is accused of entering into contracts with gambling houses, immoral places and Sunday saloons. The indictment is a result of a tumultous state of affairs that has existed in Mattoon for some months. Two local papers have been urging that action be taken against Menke. He visited both offices and threatened bodily injury to the editors. The reply was additional denunciatory editorials.

Jury to Try John McCrea.

Peoria, Ill., Sept. 26.—By holding a late session a jury has been secured in the case against John McCrea for the murder of Detective Murphy. The opening statements were followed by testimony for the state, devoted to proving that the deceased was a properly commissioned officer when he was killed.

Danville Rioters Fined.

Danville, Ill., Sept. 26.—Harvey Van Gundy, an electrician, and Sherman Cundiff, a farmer, two of the jail rioters, pleaded guilty and were fined $200 each by Judge Thompson.

Gambling Houses Take Alarm.

Springfield, Ill., Sept. 26. — The Springfield gambling houses and pool rooms have closed. This action followed the suits brought by the city attorney to collect penalties from persons visiting the places.

STATE FAIR OPEN ON SUNDAY

For the First Time in Its History the Illinois State Exposition Will Try the Scheme.

Springfield, Ill., Sept. 26.—The Illinois state fair opened today, and for the first time in its history there will be a regular programme on Sunday. The entertainment will consist of a concert and a lecture on "The Man of Galilee" by George R. Wending, of Washington, D. C. It is expected that the attendance will be fully as large as on any other day of the fair. This belief is based on the fact that all the railroads are to run excursions at low rates on Sunday.

A number of churches have concessions at the fair, and the women of numerous missionary societies are to conduct restaurants and refreshment booths. To these the Sunday fair has been a serious problem. Their enterprises are usually hazardous at the best, and the prospect of a heavy income on Sunday has been a most alluring one. However, they have decided not to open their places until Monday, and the secular concessionaires will get the entire benefit of the crowd on Sunday.

End of the Reunion.

Carbondale, Ill., Sept. 26. — The twenty-first annual reunion of the Southern Illinois Soldiers' and Sailors' association has closed. It was the most successful reunion in the history of the association. The speakers for the closing day were Attorney General Hamlin, of Shelbyville; Colonel Frank O. Lowden, and State's Attorney Deneen, of Chicago. In the auditorium of the state normal school a public reception was tendered to Mrs. John A. Logan.

Vets Can Peddle Unlicensed.

Bloomington, Ill., Sept. 26.—In response to a request from Bloomington's city clerk, in order to settle the interpretation of an Illinois statute in regard to peddling by old soldiers, Attorney General Hamlin gave it as his opinion that all Union soldiers and sailors, honorably discharged, are permited to peddle anything not prohibited by law, anywhere in Illinois without a license, if he is in business for himself only.

"No Man's Club" to Admit Men.

Palatine, Ill., Sept. 26.—The young women of the place who recently organized a "No Man's club," have decided to admit men into the society. The men will be required to pay 2 cents a week as dues. The bachelors tried to organize a club, but were forced to give up the plan, as there were not enough unmarried men even to fill the offices.

Cemetery People to Meet.

Springfield, Ill., Sept. 26.—A meeting of cemetery officials from all parts of the state has been called for next Tuesday in this city. The purpose is to organize a state association, the object of which will be to get legislation desired by cemetery corporations and to discuss details of cemetery management.

CONDITION OF TRADE

There Are Unsatisfactory Features, but the Volume Continues Large Says Dun & Co.

New York, Sept. 26.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade says today: Notwithstanding several unsatisfactory features the volume of trade continues large, and the distribution of merchandise taxes shipping facilities. Announcement of a concerted effort to restrict production of pig iron indicates that supplies have begun to accumulate. Railway earnings continue to show gains. The movement of farm products is still unseasonable small. New labor controversies have begun, but a number of serious troubles have been averted, and on the whole the number of men idle voluntarily has diminished.

Failures this week numbered 232 in the United States, against 207 last year, and 19 in Canada, compared with 32 a year ago.

HAS FOUND A BONANZA

Ship Captain Locates a Fortune in Silver Ore That Was Wrecked Nearly Seventy Years Ago.

Jacksonville, Fla., Sept. 26.—Rumors of the finding of a treasure ship on Miami have been confirmed. Captain Jennings and three of the crew, of the wrecking schooner Osceo have filed a libel against the cargo of a sunken ship in the United States court here.

With the assistance of a chart in his possession Captain Jennings has been searching for this vessel from time to time for many years. It is supposed to have gone ashore in 1835, loaded with ore from the Mexican mines. It was found in five feet of water near Miami. Its cargo, which has only been partly examined, has been found to consist of silver ores.

Color Line in the Odd Fellows.

Baltimore, Sept. 26.—A proposition to admit to membership persons of mixed blood, such as mulattoes, was defeated by the sovereign grand lodge, I. O. O. F., as was also a resolution to grant to the Patriarchs Militant a direct representation in the sovereign grand lodge, and a proposition to admit liquor dealers as members.

Tells of a Year-Ago Wreck

Cleveland, Sept. 26.—A body that was picked up off Long Point, Canada, by a fishing tug, has been identified as that of Captain W. W. Gotham, of the steamer Slyvanus J. Macy, of Detroit, which was lost last November with all on board.

Francis Joseph Will Fight.

London, Sept. 26.—According to a dispatch in The Daily Mail from Vienna the Austrian emperor has decided to fight if the Hungarians push their opposition to his wishes to the extreme.

Long Trip in an Auto.

London, Sept. 26.—Charles J. Glidden and his wife, of Lowell, Mass., have returned to London after completing an automobile tour of 6,670 miles, during which they crossed the Arctic circle.

Voting Machine Commission.

Springfield, Ill., Sept. 26.—Governor Yates has appointed Judge Amos Miller, of Hillsboro, and Morris Emerson, of the Lincoln News-Herald, members of the voting machine commission.

BASE BALL SCORES

Chicago, Sept. 26. — Following are the base ball scores:

American: At Philadelphia—Chicago 8, Philadelphia 10; at Boston—Detroit 6, Boston 6 — eleven innings, darkness; at New York—St. Louis 2, New York 8; at Washington—Cleveland 14, Washington 5.

THE WEATHER

Following is the official weather forecast up to 8 o'clock tonight:

Illinois and Indiana—Generally fair; cooler; brisk southwest winds.

Lower Michigan—Partly cloudy with possibly showers; cooler; high southwest to west winds.

Wisconsin—Possibly showers; cooler Saturday; high southwest, shifting to northwest winds.

Iowa—Generally fair; cooler; brisk southwest to west winds.

THE MARKETS

Chicago Grain.

Chicago, Sept. 25.

Following were the quotations on the Chicago Board of Trade today:

Wheat—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
September ..	$ .75	$ .79½	$ .74½	$ .75⅛
December ..	.76⅝	.77⅛	.76⅛	.77⅛
May	.78¾	.79	.77⅝	.78⅝
Corn—				
September ..	.45⅜	.46⅞	.45	.46
December ..	.46⅛	.46⅝	.45¼	.46¼
May	.46⅛	.46⅝	.45⅛	.46
Oats—				
September ..	.36¾	.37	.36	.37
December ..	.37¼	.37¾	.36½	.37¼
May	.38	.38½	.37⅛	.37⅛
Pork—				
Septeamber ..	12.30	12.30	12.20	12.20
October	12.30	12.30	12.10	12.25
May	12.42½	12.57½	12.42½	12.50
Lard—				
September ...	10.10	10.50	10.10	10.50
October	7.52½	7.60	7.50	7.52½
January	6.85	6.90	6.82½	6.90
Short Ribs—				
September ...	9.15	....	....	9.15
October	9.20	9.25	9.20	9.20
January	6.52½	6.62½	6.52½	6.57½

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Sept. 25.

Hogs—Estimated receipts for the day, 16,000. Sales ranged at $5.00@6.10 for pigs, $5.85@6.40 for light, $5.45@5.65 for rough packing, $5.70@6.30 for mixed, and $5.70@6.25 for heavy packing and shipping lots, with the bulk of the trading at $5.70@6.05 for fair to good averages.

Cattle—Estimated receipts for the day, 6,000. Quotations ranged at $5.50@6.05 for choice to extra steers, $5.10@5.35 for good to choice do., $4.75@5.00 for fair to good do., $4.25@4.50 for common to medium do., $3.25@4.75 fed western steers, $2.50@4.15 stockers and feeders, $1.50@4.60 cows, $2.50@4.80 heifers, $2.25@4.50 bulls and oxen, $3.50@4.25 stags, $3.00@4.50 Texas steers, and $4.00@6.75 veal calves.

Sheep—Estimated receipts for the day, 7,000. Quotations ranged at $2.75@4.05 westerns, $2.25@4.00 natives, $3.40@5.55 western lambs, and $3.75@5.80 native lambs.

BLAME PUT ON PEORIA

For Spoiling the Limpid Waters of the Illinois River with Factory Waste.

Chicago, Sept. 26.—The city of Peoria is now being blamed for part of the pollution which the city of St. Louis has been charging to the account of Chicago and the drainage canal. In the hearing of the canal case before United States Commissioner Bright this phase of the case was brought to light by the defense. Professor Lang declared that the sewage from Chicago, before reaching Peoria, had become decomposed, and so rendered the water practically harmless.

His other conclusion was that the waste material from factories at Peoria was largely responsible for the Illinois river's pollution. He gave details as to the reason for the existence of so much organic matter in the river below Peoria, saying that the distilleries, cattle sheds and glucose factories in that town were the main causes.

ANOTHER GENERAL DIVVY

By Whsch North Africa Is To Be Parceled Out for Good and All.

Berlin, Sept. 26.—Acording to The National Zeitung an international arrangement is likely to be reached whereby France will support the sultan of Morocco in suppressing the troubles within his dominions, and will assume a protectorate over the country; Italy will give up any claims she may have in Morocco in return for a free hand in Tripoli.

Great Britain's possession of Egypt will be recognized; Germany will receive satisfaction in the shape of the open door in these territories while Spain will be compensated for exclusion from or future expansion in Morocco by France.

EXHIBITION THAT IS STARTLING

Crowd at a Hanging Practically Declares the Man Hanged Was Right in Killing His Wife.

Bristol, Tenn., Sept. 26. — Clifton Branham was hanged at Wise, Va., for the murder of his wife. Branham caused a sensation when he addressed 4,000 people on the court house lawn. He related his story of the killing of his wife, and requested that if any one in the crowd felt that he was not justified he would look for that one to hold his hand up.

Not a hand went up. He then requested all who felt that they would have done as he did to hold up their hands. It is estimated that 500 hands went up immediately.

Those Dead Works at the "Soo."

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., Sept. 26.—Attorney Dicknell, of Toronto, has arrived here to take charge of the Consolidated company's works in the interest of the Central Trust company for Speyer & Co., trustees. He said he was clothed with power to do as he pleased with the works, but declined to state what will be done.

Delmar Ties Lou Dillon.

New York, Sept. 26.—At the Empire City track at Yonkers Major Delmar went against his own record of 2:00¼, and went to the quarter in 0:30½, to the half in 0:59, to the three-quarters in 1:29 and to the wire in 2:00, thus equalling the world's record held by Lou Dillon.

Heatherbloom Beats the Record.

Philadelphia, Sept. 26.—At the Bryn Mawr horse show Heatherbloom, the champion high jumper, broke the world's record of 7 feet 8 inches, which he held, by topping the bar at 7 feet 9¼ inches.

New Guns for the German Army.

Berlin, Sept. 26.—It is reported from Essen that a bill will be presented to the reichstag to re-equip the army with a new type of artillery at a cost of $3,750,000.

Neary and Mowatt Draw.

Milwaukee, Sept. 26.—Charles Neary, of Milwaukee, and Young Mowatt, of Chicago, fought six fast rounds to a draw before the Milwaukee Boxing club.

NEWS FACTS IN OUTLINE

Mrs. Addie Shellhammer, 50 years old, and her 17-year-old daughter Jane, of Chicago, arrived at Syracuse, N. Y., having walked from Utica. They had lost their railway tickets.

Representative Cannon has leased the residence at 1014 Vermont avenue, Washington, formerly occupied by Ambassador McCormick.

Mrs. Jefferson Davis, who is ill at Buffalo, N. Y., is reported holding her own.

Curtis Jett has been sentenced to be hanged Dec. 18 next.

George Howard and his wife, of Concord, N. H., were burned to death in the fire that destroyed Hotel Brunswick, Rochester, N. H.

Troops are arriving at Camp Young, West Point, Ky., for the military manoeuvers, in which 14,000 men will participate.

Postmaster General Payne has returned to Washington from Hot Springs, Va.

The sultan has requested that the United States warships at Beirut be withdrawn.

Lord Milner has declined the office of secretary for the colonies in the British cabinet.

Dean Tompkins, a defaulting treasurer in the Philippines, has been sentenced to seventeen years' imprisonment for forgery.

Mrs. Perkins and daughter were drowned while trying to cross the Des Moines river near Dundee, Minn.

Molly Hunt's Temptation

[Original.]

"And now, Mistress Molly, I must bid you adieu. Your father, your mother, yourself, have merited the thanks of the Continental congress for harboring me, and you especially deserve my thanks for your kindness while I have been in hiding under your roof."

"Do you go direct to the Americans?" she asked, putting up a pair of tempting lips, inviting a farewell kiss.

"No. I go to the house of that Tory Andrew Moncrief to stop one night."

"And, pray, what will you do that for?" asked the girl, blanching.

"Margaret Moncrief, his daughter, is one of us," he replied. "I must see her before I return. She and I are warm friends."

The girl drew away. Instinct told her that when a man risked his life to meet a woman it was not friendship that led him to do so. The man called a goodby, and they had parted.

The next night a party of British soldiers appeared on the place of Andrew Moncrief and asked if a stranger had stopped there for the night. On being told that no one was there they searched the house, then the outhouses and at last came upon Lieutenant Lionel Otis hidden in the haymow. He was searched, and plans of the British fortifications at Trenton, with information as to the strength of the force defending them, were found concealed in his clothing. He was taken to the house of Farmer Hunt and led into the kitchen, where Molly was cooking supper. When she saw him she turned deadly pale.

"Good morrow, Mistress Molly," said the young man. "We meet again very soon. Some one has given me away."

Molly staggered, without a word, out of the room, turning her back to the soldiers that they should not see her face.

"Strange," said Otis, "that she should be so affected. But perhaps she knows the fate of a spy."

It was late when the prisoner was taken to the farm, and his guard concluded to keep him there over night. A sergeant in command went to the second floor and selected a room with but one window and one door. Into this room he thrust Lieutenant Otis, placing a man at the door and one underneath the window. Then the rest of the guard lay down on the kitchen floor before the great stone fireplace and went to sleep.

At midnight the sentinel below stood leaning against the house, his hands grasping his musket, his hat over his eyes. Presently he sat down on the ground, then fell over on his back. He was asleep. Suddenly he felt his gun slip from his hands and, looking up, saw Molly bending over him, holding a long knife, its point within an inch of his heart. He thought her insane, so wild looking was she.

"What do you want?" he asked.

Molly did not answer; but, keeping the point of the knife as near his heart as possible and her eye fixed on him, she drew a little away till suddenly she raised the musket and, pulling up the firelock, pointed it at him instead of the knife. Then she told him in a whisper to go before her, indicating the direction by pointing. Marching him to the house of a patriot whom she well knew she could depend on, the two locked him up in the barn, and the man stood guard while Molly returned. Going at once to an outhouse, she took out a ladder, raised it to Otis' window and, mounting, gave a faint tap. Otis' heart jumped within him as he went softly to the window and cautiously raised the sash.

"Come," said Molly, and she descended the ladder.

In the barn two horses stood saddled. Molly led the way with one, Otis following with the other, through a field to the rear, and, making a circuit, they struck the road far from the house.

"Molly," said Otis, his voice trembling with emotion, "I owe you everything. If I get clear some day I will return to thank you. If a life of devotion will help to repay"—

"Oh, hush!"

"Molly, listen to me. Perhaps you thought that there was more than friendship between me and Margaret Moucrief. There is not. She is working with me and was to give me war secrets. True, her father is a Tory and must have got wind of my being on the place."

"Oh, no, no! You were informed on by a wretch, one unworthy to live a minute by your side!"

"Who?"

She was riding at a gallop, but she dropped her reins on her horse's neck and covered her face with her hands.

"Molly, sweetheart, never mind who gave me away. You have rescued me, and my life belongs to you. It will be a willing servitude, for my heart is also your slave."

"No, no, no!" wailed the girl. "I am unworthy of you. I thought you loved Margaret Moncrief and were going from me to her. I betrayed you. I am a selfish, fiendish creature. I put you in jeopardy of the halter, and the only hope I have for peace of mind is that I have undone what I have done."

She turned her horse's head and went galloping back in the direction from which she had come. Otis reined in his horse and sat looking after her.

"Molly!" he called. "Molly! I forgive you."

There was no reply except the diminishing sound of her horse's hoofs as she drew farther from him.

After Cornwallis' surrender Otis sought out Hunt's farm, hoping to find Molly, but he was told that she had pined away and died. Her doctors said that she suffered from some mental strain that sapped her vitality.

GEORGE WORDER PLUM.

ENTR' ACTE

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"Of course you knew all along."

He was tearing the edges of the programme into scallops and did not look at her.

"I did not, you silly boy. How could I? You never said a word."

"But I looked."

"Lots look."

"Harvey?"

"He looks lovely."

"How do I look?"

"Bertie! You big, silly, silly kid child!"

"Don't laugh at me, then. It isn't a joke."

She leaned over the plush rail of the box and let a rose leaf flutter, light as a baby butterfly, down to the tier below.

"You girls must have loads of proposals."

"Why?"

"Oh, you all take it so easy. You just laugh at a fellow and look pleasant and all that."

"Have you asked so many, Bertie?"

"Ten. Scored, didn't you? Honest, though, I haven't, Gwen; just you, dear."

"There was that Ferris girl."

"Who? Madge—little Madge Ferris? I wasn't in love with her. We just chummed. You know, Gwen. She was a great chum."

"Did you ever kiss her, Bertie?"

"Not since she was old enough to fight. That isn't anything. I've kissed you, Gwen."

Dead silence; orchestra plays "La Paloma."

"Gwen, the tip of your ear's awfully pink. Turn around, won't you? I don't care. I did. It was down at Faraway Beach, that summer. 'Member, Gwen? You were an awfully funny little gawky kid those days. Fuzzy hair and big eyes"—

"You used to call me a walleyed frizzletop," she said over her shoulder, and her eyes were full of dream light and her voice was low. "It was ages ago."

"And I chased you that day. You could run as fast as us boys. Way up the beach, past the cottages and the hill road, up to where the rocks began."

"There was a cave with shells in the sand, and seaweed tangled in the rocks"— She bent nearer with parted lips of expectancy.

"The Green Dragon's cave, you called it, 'member. And I caught you there and kissed you hard, didn't I, Gwen? And you said it wasn't fair, 'cause you turned into a mermaid as soon as you reached the cave."

"And you said you were a wave, then, and could follow. Wasn't it fun?"

"Great fun. Gwen, Gwen, darling, I wish I had you there this minute."

"I slapped you."

"And then I held your hands and kissed you again. I was good those days. Returned a kiss for a blow. And you didn't slap that time. You laughed and kissed back."

"It was ages ago."

She bent over the rail again away from him. His eyes were so full of something — something — it unnerved her, and the others were watching. She could almost feel Harvey's gaze.

"But, dear, I've been loving you all the time. I'm not a kid, Gwen. Listen to me. Turn your head again. You're afraid."

"Of what?"

"Your eyes. They tell."

After a pause:

"Dare you to, Gwen?"

She turned her head slowly and looked at him.

"You silly boy!"

"Sweetheart!"

"I'm not. Bertie, don't! Mamma's watching!"

"And Harvey? Is he so very rich, Gwen? Say, Gwen, don't he look like a frog in his evening suit? Gwen, look at that old fossil and then at me. Love me, Gwen?"

"The curtain will go up in a minute. Hush!"

"Gwen!"

"Hush—dear!"

"You darling! Say it again!"

"Dear, dear, dear! Now will you behave?"

"If I could tell him for sure, Gwen—dad, I mean—that I had you for sure you know, dear, he'd stand by us; I know he would. He isn't like the women. All they think of is landing a fellow like Harvey and his cash. Dad knows I love you. He'd give me a start, dear heart. It would be fun starting together, wouldn't it, Gwen? You're young, and I'm young. I would do anything in life with you to say 'Go ahead.' Gwen"—

"The curtain is rising."

"Never mind. The rest will look at the stage. Just give me your hand if you're afraid, sweetheart — just your hand for answer. When I bend forward put your hand down, and they won't see. Please, Gwen. Then I'll be good, dear. Just to be sure. Your eyes told anyway. Oh, you darling!"

Curtain rises. Her fan falls.

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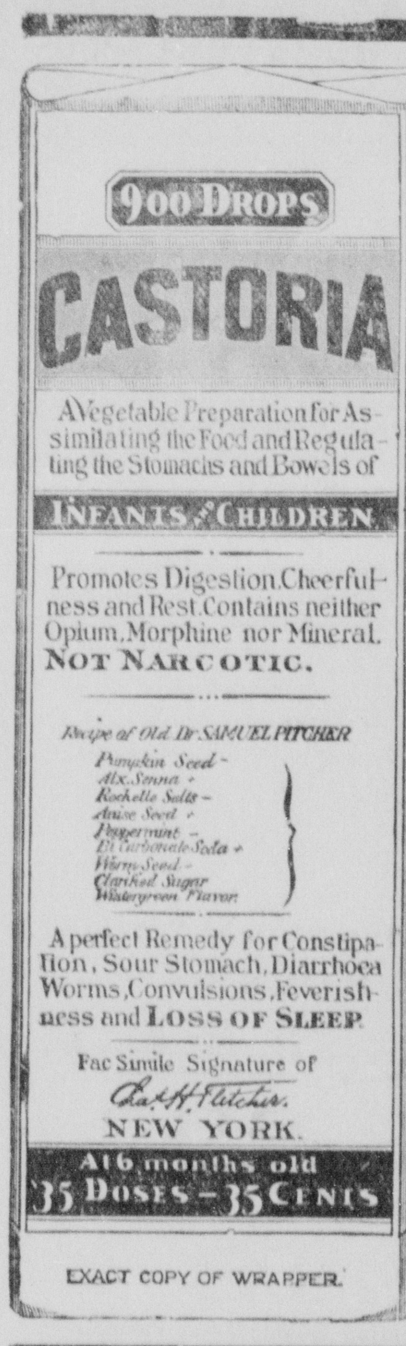

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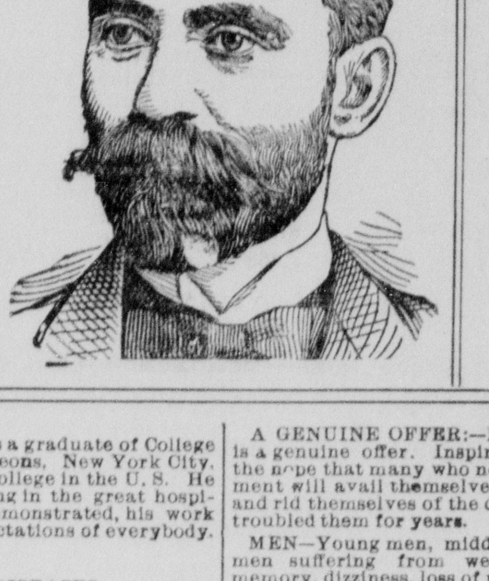

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Circuit Court.

People vs Arthur J. Darrow, Abandonment of wife and child. Deft. appears in open court and enters into bond in sum of $500 with Thos. Lyons and Lena Shaw as sureties.

People vs Ulysses Lebre, Assault with a deadly weapon. Deft. appears in open court and enters into bond in the sum of $500 with Maria Lebre as surety.

Daniel Swartz vs E. J. Vroman. Distress for rent. Demurrer to two special pleas sustained.

Wm. Parker vs Harrison Miller, ejectment. Motion by deft. for continuance.

Dixon National Bank vs Kittie Finley and Susie A. Hennessy, assumpsit. Judgment on certificate of clerk in favor of plaintiff and against defendant to the amount of $436.55 and costs.

Downing Bros. vs Walter B. Heatherington, cognovit. Judgment by confession on narr and cognovit in favor of plaintiffs and against defendant for the sum of $98.15. Execution to issue instauter.

Christian Zease vs Elizabeth Zease, Divorce. Deft. called and defaulted on personal service.

Geo. C. Loveland vs. Mrs. Chas. H. Shoemaker et al. Foreclosure. Leverette Hubbard administrator, etc., defaulted on personal service.

John Daum vs. Ira Cooper. Injunction. Upon hearing defendant is discharged.

Grace M. Remmers vs. Wm. H. Remmers. Divorce. Cause heard and decree granted.

Arthur Stanley vs. Annie Stanley. Divorce. Defendant called and defaulted on personal service.

Frederick I. Arndt vs. Clara D Arndt. Divorce. Defendant called and defaulted on personal service. Cause heard and decree granted.

Mary Isabel Darrow vs. Arthur J. Darrow. Separate maintenance. Motion by defendant to strike bill from files, quash summons and dismiss case.

Court stands adjourned until Monday next at 9 o'clock a. m when a demurrer will be argued by Wm. Barge and Clyde Smith in the case of Drenner vs. I. C. R'y Co.

Grand Course of Lectures.

You cannot afford to miss the course of lectures to be delivered in the Methodist church during the coming week by Dr. Koehne. The initial lecture delivered on Thursday evening last was indeed prophetic of the great treat in store for Dixon people. The topic of the Monday evening lecture will be, "The Preparation for Christianity Through the Gentile Religions."

—Wilbur Hutchinson went to Franklin Grove today.

--Choir rehearsal at St. Luke's Episcopal church this evening at 7:30.

—M. J. Hogan went to Chicago today for a visit over Sunday with relatives.

—Gordon Utley and George Brown are in Chicago to spend Sunday with LeRoy Brown.

—Sheriff Chas. W. Wohnke and' son went to Chicago today and will return home tomorrow.

—The Peoria Avenue club will meet with Mrs. Louise Steel, Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

—Mrs. A. J. Brubaker will leave Monday morning for Boston. Mr. Brubaker will accompany her to Chicago.

—Arthur Hermes will leave for Chicago the first of the week to resume his studies at Rush Medical College.

—Mrs. Henry T. Noble returned last night from Chicago, where for the past tweek she has been the guest of Mrs. A. S. Hyde.

—Misses Tessie and Nellie McBride and Anna McFadden went to East Grove today for a weeks visit with relatives and friends.

—Mrs. C. H. Noble has gone to Chicago, where at the Presbyterian hospital she is to undergo another operation. She was accompanied by her husband and trained nurse, Miss Mountz.

—The Belvidere Daily Northwestern office was sold at auction yesterday and was purchased by A. S. Cowan for $1,200. The stock of print paper on hand was sold for $47. It is understood that Mr. Cowan will launch a daily paper there in a few days.

—Rockford Republic: Officers of the law are looking for a John C. Neiman, John C. has been a very much married man and the three living wives ask a hearing. The Neiman case smacks of the Chicago divorce docket, and should the man be apprehended a circuit court sensation is promised.

—At a meeting of Missouri ex-soldiers at Columbia yesterday, some one with a little higher literary and musical taste than other confederate veterans, suggested that the famous war song "Dixie" be so changed in wording that it may not appear childish and simple. But this suggestion was hauled down by the ex-soldiers of Dixie's Land.

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